## SENATE RESOLUTION No. \_\_\_

### DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION

A SENATE RESOLUTION honoring Senator Billie J. Breaux upon her retirement from the Indiana State Senate.

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## SENATE RESOLUTION

#### MADAM PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

A SENATE RESOLUTION honoring Senator Billie J. Breaux upon her retirement from the Indiana State Senate.

Whereas, Senator Billie J. Breaux was first elected to the Indiana State Senate to represent Senate District 34 and the people of Indianapolis in 1990;

Whereas, Senator Breaux has been a champion for the people of the State of Indiana and has honestly and faithfully served her Indianapolis constituency throughout her 16 year tenure;

Whereas, Senator Breaux has fought to ensure that the state's election process remain fair and above partisanship; fought to improve and make public education accountable to all students. She further worked to fund minority health coalitions around the state to insure health coverage for the most needy.

Whereas, Senator Breaux has served on numerous legislative standing committees and interim committees during her tenure, covering a wide range of topics. She most recently served as Ranking Minority member on the Senate Health & Provider Services committee and also as a member on the

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Senate Appropriations, Education & Career Development, and Elections & Civic Affairs committees;

Whereas, Senator Breaux will be resigning from the Indiana State Senate in order to serve as the newly elected Marion County Auditor thereby continuing her career in public service:

Whereas, prior to her service in the Indiana State Senate, Senator Breaux served her community as an educator with the Indianapolis Public Schools for 31 years;

Whereas, Senator Breaux was a committed wife to her late husband, Dominique, her husband of 25 years, a devoted mother to their daughter, Jean; and

Whereas, Senator Breaux, with her quiet and easy going demeanor, is admired and respected by everyone in the Indiana General Assembly, and her retirement will be felt by all for many years to come: Therefore,

# Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- 1 SECTION 1. That on behalf of the people of the State of Indiana,
- 2 we hereby extend our sincere appreciation to Senator Billie J. Breaux
- 3 for her dedicated service in the Indiana State Senate and the Indiana
- 4 General Assembly.
- 5 SECTION 2. That the secretary of the senate is hereby directed to
- 6 transmit a copy of this resolution to Senator Breaux, and daughter Jean.

